

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph of page 8, lines 23-33 as follows:

Client 12, printer 30, IP telephone 32 and directory server 20 are collectively referred to herein as network devices. Client 12, printer 30, IP Phone 32 and directory server 20, may be located together, or may be located separately. For example, client 12 may be located in the United States, IP Phone 32 may be located in Brazil, printer 30 may be located in Germany and directory server 20 46 may be located in France. Client 12, printer 30, IP telephone 32 and directory server 20 may be commonly owned, or may be owned by different persons or entities. For example, client 12 and printer 30 may be owned by a first company, IP telephone 32 may be owned by an individual, and directory server 20 may be owned by a second company. Directory server 20 may be located at a public co-location facility, or at a private facility.

Please amend the paragraph of page 22, line 29 through page 23, line 3, as follows:

After receiving a list of phones on the same network, IP Phone 68 may then send a message to directory server 20 46 that includes the query "Where is Carol?" Message processor 42 processes the query to retrieve the requested information from directory table 54e. In particular, message processor 42 searches the directory table to identify location information associated with Carol's source address and/or internal address. In this example, message processor 42 determines that Carol is located on the third floor of Building A. Message processor 42 then formulates a reply message that includes Carol's identified address, and transmitter 38 transmits the reply message to IP Phone 68.